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Sir:

Counsel for Applicant herewith files the enclosed combined Declaration and Power of Attorney document. No fees are believed to be due because the \$130.00 fee for filing a late declaration was authorized to be charged at the time of filing the application. Nevertheless, should a fee be determined to be due, authorization is given to charge any necessary fees to Deposit Account No. 50-0951. Examination on the merits is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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- Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date.

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